UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK		
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TKB SHIPPING A/S	:	
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Plaintiff,	:	08 CV
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- against -	:	The second secon
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SAMSUN LOGIX CORPORATION,	:	
•		CASHIERS
Defendant.	:	
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VERIFIED COMPLAINT

The Plaintiff, TKB SHIPPING A/S (hereinafter "Plaintiff" or "TKB"), by its attorneys,

Tisdale Law Offices, LLC, as and for its Verified Complaint against the Defendant, SAMSUN

LOGIX CORPORATION (hereinafter "Defendant" or "Samsun") alleges, upon information and
belief, as follows:

- 1. This is an admiralty and maritime claim within the meaning of Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 9(h) and 28 United States Code § 1333.
- 2. At all material times, Plaintiff was and still is an entity duly organized and existing by virtue of foreign law with a principal place of business in Copenhagen.
- 3. Upon information and belief, at all material times, Defendant Samsun was and still is an entity duly organized and existing by virtue of U.S. law with a principal place of business in Seoul, Korea.
- 4. By a charter party dated August 24, 2006, Plaintiff time chartered the motor vessel "GOLDEN SKY" (hereinafter the "Vessel") from the Defendant Samsun for a time charter of "min 6 months to about 9 months in Charterers' option (about means +/- 15 days) via

safe port(s), safe berth(s), safe anchorage(s), always afloat always within institute warranty limits always with lawful and harmless cargoes."

- 5. Certain disputes arose between the parties regarding Defendant Samsun's failure to return to Plaintiff charter hire which was prepaid but unearned due to the vessel having run aground during the charter period and never being delivered to Plaintiff.
- 6. As a result of Samsun's breach of the charter party contract, Plaintiff will suffer losses in the total principal sum of \$429,755.80, as best can now be estimated, exclusive of interest, recoverable costs and reasonable attorneys fees. See M/V Golden Sky Final Hire Statement attached hereto as Exhibit "1."
- 7. Pursuant to the charter party, all disputes arising thereunder were to be submitted to arbitration in London with English law to apply.
- 8. In accordance with the charter party, the plaintiff will soon commence arbitration in London and appoint its arbitrator.
- 9. Interest, costs and attorneys' fees are routinely awarded to the prevailing party in London proceedings pursuant to English Law. As best as can now be estimated, Plaintiff expects to recover the following amounts in arbitration:

A.	Principal claim:	\$429,755.80
В.	Estimated interest on the principal claim at 7.5% for three years	\$107,426.41
C.	Attorneys fees and arbitration costs:	\$100,000.00
		\$637,182.21

10. The Defendant cannot be found within this District within the meaning of Rule B of the Supplemental Rules for Certain Admiralty and Maritime Claims of the Federal Rules of

Total:

Civil Procedure, but, upon information and belief, Defendants have, or will have during the pendency of this action, assets within this District and subject to the jurisdiction of this Court, held in the hands of garnishees including, but not limited to, ABN-AMRO, American Express Bank, Bank of America, Bank of New York, Deutsche Bank, Citibank, HSBC Bank USA Bank, J.P. Morgan Chase, Standard Chartered Bank and/or Wachovia Bank N.A., which are believed to be due and owing to the Defendant.

11. The Plaintiff seeks an order from this Court directing the Clerk of Court to issue Process of Maritime Attachment and Garnishment pursuant to Rule B of the Supplemental Rules for Certain Admiralty and Maritime Claims attaching any assets of the Defendant held by the aforesaid garnishees for the purpose of obtaining personal jurisdiction over the Defendant, and to secure the Plaintiff's claims as described above.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff prays:

- A. That process in due form of law issue against the Defendants, citing them to appear and answer under oath all and singular the matters alleged in the Complaint;
- B. That since the Defendants cannot be found within this District pursuant to Rule B of the Supplemental Rules for Certain Admiralty and Maritime Claims, this Court issue an Order directing the Clerk of Court to issue Process of Maritime Attachment and Garnishment pursuant to Rule B of the Supplemental Rules for Certain Admiralty and Maritime Claims and federal common law attaching all tangible or intangible property in whatever form or any other funds held by any garnishee, including, but not limited to, ABN-AMRO, American Express Bank, Bank of America, Bank of New York, Deutsche Bank, Citibank, HSBC Bank USA Bank, J.P. Morgan Chase, Standard Chartered Bank and/or Wachovia Bank N.A. which are due and owing to the Defendants, in the amount of \$637,182.21 to secure the Plaintiff's claims, and that

all persons claiming any interest in the same be cited to appear and pursuant to Supplemental Admiralty Rule B answer the matters alleged in the Verified Complaint;

- C. That this Court recognize and confirm any foreign judgment/award of costs on the claims had herein as a judgment of this Court;
- D. That this Court retain jurisdiction over this matter through the entry of any judgment or award associated with any of the claims currently pending, or which may be initiated in the future, including any appeals thereof; and
- E. That the Plaintiff have such other, further and different relief as the Court may deem just and proper.

Dated: March 17, 2008 New York, New York

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The Plaintiff, TKB SHIPPING, A/S,

By:

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ATTORNEY VERIFICATION

State of Connecticut)	ss: SOUTHPORT
County of Fairfield)	

- 1. My name is Lauren C. Davies.
- 2. I am over 18 years of age, of sound mind, capable of making this Verification and fully competent to testify to all matters stated herein.
- 3. I am the attorney for the Plaintiff in this action. I am fully authorized to make this Verification on its behalf.
- 4. I have read the foregoing Verified Complaint and the contents thereof are true and accurate to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.
- 5. The reason that this Verification was made by me and not the Plaintiff is that the Plaintiff is a corporation none of whose officers are present in this District.
- 6. The source of my knowledge is information and records furnished to me by the Plaintiff and its counsel, all of which I believe to be true and accurate.

Dated: March 17, 2008 Southport, Connecticut

Lauren C/Davies

EXHIBIT 1

M/V Golden Sky T/C Account:	Final hire statement				
Date of delivery: Date of redelivery:	05-09-06 12:36 gmt 11-01-07 20:00 gmt				
Total days on hire:			128.30833		l
Daily hire:	USD	15,500 Co	mmissions:	3.75%	İ
C/V/E/month	USD	1,250	IFO	MGO	
Bunkers on delivery: Bunkers on redelivery:		٠	819.941 819.941	63.447 63.447	
Bunker prices USD: Delivery: Redelivery:			350.00 350.00	660.00 660.00	

		Charterers favour	Owners favour
T/C hire			1,988,779.17
Commissions deducted	· !	74,579.22	
Bunkers on delivery:		•	286,979.35
IFO MGO			41,875.02
Bunkers on redelivery	y:	007.000.00	
IFO MGO		286,979.35 41,875.02	
Charterers expenses Cables/victualling/ente	ertainment		5,346.18
5th hire Nacala v01	•		3,500.00
6th hire Hold cleaning	after Setubal v2		2,500.00
Owners' expenses Beir	a v2 (D/N 04-01-07)	791.31	E
Hire payment		553,260.62	
date 1st		224,406.25	
2.nc		224,406.25	
4th		226,906.25	
5th		225,406.25	
6th		226,906.25	
7th		224,406.25	-
8th		224,406.25	
9th		224,406.25	
Total		2,758,735.52	2,328,979.72
Balance in Owners fa	avour	-429,755.80	

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